

Nantasket Beach

Department of Conservation and Recreation



Nantasket Beach Lecture Series

All Programs are free and open to the public. Reasonable accommodations available upon request. All lectures are held at the Nantasket Beach Resort located at 45 Hull Shore Drive in Hull, MA.

July 9

Thursday 7:00pm

"Lost Boston" a Nostalgic Journey with Anthony Sammarco A nostalgic journey back in time to visit some of the disappeared buildings and places in all their grandeur, before the wrecking ball and decline set in. From the 1870's up until present day, Anthony Sammarco discusses the historic buildings that Boston has lost forever in his new book "Lost Boston". Historic buildings include schools, churches, theaters, grand mansions, dockyards, racetracks, parks, stores, hotels, offices, and factories.

Thursday August 13 7:00pm

Master Thieves: A Great Art Heist with Stephen Kurkjian

In a secret meeting in 1981, a low-level Boston thief gave career gangster Ralph Rossetti the tip of a lifetime: the Isabella Stewart Gardner Museum was a big score waiting to happen. Join Stephen Kurkijian as he discusses how the theft quickly became one of the most infamous art heists in history: thirteen works of art valued at up to \$500 million were stolen. His book, "Master Thieves, reveals the identities of those he believes plotted the heist, the motive for the crime, and the details that the FBI has refused to discuss.

Thursday Sep 17 7:00pm

Paragon Park: Remembering a Local Treasure

Christopher Haraden of Hanover grew up in the shadow of a giant. As in the "Giant," the nearly 100-foot-tall wooden roller coaster that was the dominant feature of Paragon Park in Hull. Haraden has collected photos and memories from patrons and workers alike for a coffee table book on the amusement park. Join us for a preview of this delightful book highlighting our local history.

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